

News by Wire and Letter Correspondence From Foreign Lands - Happenings Throughout Florida

Not Worried At Proposed Change In Constitution

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Official Washington is not especially perturbed over the recent proposals to curb the power of the Supreme Court by amending the constitution so that congressional enactment of legislation termed unconstitutional by the Supreme Court would suffice to make the alleged unconstitutionality constitutional.

The general comment among legislative leaders is that it would be impossible to get three-fourths of the states to agree so radically to alter the form of government which has lasted so well, and under which this country has so decidedly prospered.

Neither are the various amendments to the constitution which the A. F. of L. is understood to favor considered as probable, especially that one which proposes an "easier method" than the present of changing the constitution. It is pointed out that the very difficulty of changing the constitution is one of the greatest safeguards of American liberties; were it as easy to alter the fundamental law of the land as it is to pass an appropriation bill, passion, fanaticism, a well-organized minority, any special interest, might tamper with the constitution as it pleased.

It is not contended by the most ardent constitutional lawyers in Congress that the organic act which makes the United States a country is perfect. That it has been amended 19 times shows that it has lacked something of perfection. But neither is it generally considered that every amendment has been truly beneficial. That more frequent and less well-considered alterations would be of real use to the country is not believed, save, perhaps, by the very radical element in Congress, which has not been, and probably never will be, representative of truly American standpoints.

New Restriction On Immigration

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The floodgates of immigration were raised July 1st, when a new fiscal year began and foreign countries became possessed of a new quota of 3 per cent of their nationals already in America. During the fiscal year just closed something over a third of a million immigrants came to these shores; without the quota law more than a million would have landed here.

There are many who think the law is too liberal, and 300,000 foreigners admitted to this country without more restrictions as to education and citizenship plans, too many. Among them is Chairman Johnson of the house immigration committee. He has introduced a bill in which admission for permanent residence in this country would be granted only to aliens eligible for citizenship, thus shutting the gates to Japanese, Chinese, Mongolians and others not granted the right of citizenship.

The bill would reduce on July 1, 1923, the quota percentage from each country from 3 to 2 per cent based on 1910 census figures. In addition to the 2 per cent quota, each country, however, would be given a flat allowance of 600, the maximum total from their 600,000 being estimated at 24,000.

This reduction would cut the total quota admission to 170,000 yearly. Not more than 10 per cent of any country's quota would be admitted into the United States in one month.

Cracker Proves Fatal.
JACKSONVILLE, July 5.—A fourth of July firecracker proved fatal to William Kelly, 2 year son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kelly, who died today as the result, according to attending physicians of munching a "red devil" cap.

MOTHER!

Clean Baby's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! A half-teaspoonful of genuine California Fig Syrup will make your cross, fretful baby comfortable. It cleanses the little bowels of all the wind and gases, the bile, souring food and stomach poison which is causing baby's distress.

Millions of mothers depend upon this gentle laxative to keep baby's stomach and bowels clean, and thus correct diarrhoea, colic, biliousness, coated tongue, sour stomach, feverish breath, and constipation. It never cramps or overacts. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs.

Babies love the taste of genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has full directions for infants in arms and children of all ages, plainly printed on bottle. Say "California" to the druggist and accept no imitation fig syrup.—Adv.

WHISKY USE WAY OFF FROM YEAR BEFORE

Little Over Two Million Gallons, 'Nine in 1921.

CHANGES IN THE PROHIBITION OFFICE STAFF

Wholesale Druggists Now Being Doubly Checked.

Reviewing the past fiscal year of Commissioner Haynes' administration as Federal Prohibition Commissioner, Director A. L. Allen of Florida invites public attention to the fact that only 2,527,332.3 gallons of whiskey were withdrawn as compared with 9,696,122.4 gallons the previous year, and 16,491,303.92 gallons of alcohol and other distilled spirits withdrawn as compared with 24,856,388.88 gallons withdrawn the previous year; that 1,216 cases were reported by general prohibition agents, taxes amounting to \$17,102,234.24 were recommended, and fines and penalties amounting to \$2,159,410.39 were imposed.

Three and one-half million dollars worth of bonds were placed in suit, or proceedings begun. Reductions in rentals and disposition of seized property in the amount of \$208,823.50 were effected, and an additional saving of \$156,900 otherwise effected. Under the narcotic laws 2,195 violations were exposed, resulting in 1,109 convictions and \$64,083 in fines and penalties.

Reorganization
Numerous changes in reorganization took place. Enforcement work has been vested in state directors and a mobile force of general agents under eighteen divisional chiefs directed from Washington created; a special group was designated to prepare all criminal information, indictments, injunctions, libels and search warrants, and concentration of claim work resulted in specialized clerks and expedition of work. One set of reports and accounts are now required for distillery and bonded warehouses instead of three as heretofore.

Check Druggists
With a view to reducing the number of permits, all applicants to operate as wholesale druggists are doubly checked, and reports of state inspectors are verified by reinspection by division pharmacists. Manufacturers and wholesale dealers are required to give monthly accountability of all drugs received, manufactured and sold. Forgery-proof, non-transferable permit forms effectually prevent fraudulent withdrawals.

Breakers Driven Out of Slater, Mo.
SLATER, Mo., July 5.—Striking shopmen comprising between sixty and seventy percent of the population, and including a majority of the city officials, held the Chicago and Alton railroad shop here tonight and patrolled the town. After driving eighteen strikebreakers from the shops today, taking them to the edge of the town and telling them "to beat it" the strike sympathizers found ten more tonight hiding in a foreman's car in the railroad yards, and placed them on a train for Chicago.

All trains passing through Slater tonight were searched for strikebreakers. A force of strikers held the station platform and others were posted at various parts of the yards. A dead line has been established around the railroad shops beyond which no stranger could go in approaching the shops.

Thomas J. Gaullin, the mayor, a clerk in the shops, said that as there had been no violence.

John Logdon, sheriff of Saline county said he had spoken with Governor Hyde but the governor has said he did not believe it necessary to send troops yet.

American Buys Kitchener Bowl
LONDON, July 1.—(Cable Letter)—The famous Kitchener fish bowl, the gem of the collection of curios of the late Lord Kitchener, has been purchased by an American collector and will shortly be shipped to the United States.

Very few bowls of this size and character, which are characteristic of the Ming period (1368-1644) are known to exist at the present day. It stands two feet six inches in height and has a diameter of two feet eight inches.

HARDING WRITES EDITORIAL
MARIETTA, Ohio, July 5.—President Harding tried his hand again today at his old job of writing editorials for the Marion Star.

Today's edition carried a two column editorial signed by "Warren G. Harding." It was headed "The essentials to success," and brought out that honesty, simplicity, industry, capacity and determination "available to all who aspire" are the chief essentials of success.

WILL HELP ROADS
MACON, Ga., July 5.—B. B. Sinclair, chairman of Southern Railway Shopmen here, today offered to furnish 100 men to guard the company's property and to replace the guards now on duty. As a guarantee of good faith, he said, the men would give bond, and would not charge for their services.

At a mass meeting of the shopmen this morning the strikers went on record as favoring aid in clearing up wrecks without charge, "where life or limb is involved."

NEGRO SHOT DEAD
WASHINGTON, North Carolina, July 5.—According to reports reaching here today a negro Philip Tankard, was killed at Belhaven last night in a riot that followed a Fourth of July celebration.

J. P. Burrows was deputized to aid in quelling the disturbance and the report said he was being checked by Tankard when a shot fired from the crowd ended the negro's life.

How Much Do The Strikes Cost United States

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Statistics issued by the Department of Labor show that strikes in this country average more than 3,300 per year. It is not contended by the department that its figures are accurate, since they depend upon newspaper and trade paper reports for the most part, but that they are under, rather than overstatements.

It is impossible truthfully to estimate the average cost of a strike, since they vary so in duration, number of workmen affected and economic loss through whatever industry is wholly or partially shut down. But if the most conservative possible estimate be adopted, and it is considered that the average strike affects 100 workmen, and that the average strike lasts 10 days, the total arrived at is 3,300,000 working days lost per year. If the average cost to each workman is \$5 per day and the average loss to each industry does not exceed three times the loss to the workmen, then strikes cost this country some \$86,000,000 a year.

It is not believed that these figures are anything but suggestive. The average strike undoubtedly affects thousands, rather than hundreds, and for many more than ten days; few union laborers receive as little as \$5 a day, and, of course, the industry affected suffers out of all proportion to the workmen.

But, it is pointed out at the capitol, if it were true that only \$86,000,000 were wasted by strikes every year, that \$86,000,000 spent in proper channels on arbitration would undoubtedly stop most if not all the strikes.

It might be an economic measure to spend a part of it for accurate statistics of strike costs to the country; a little education on what it really costs to stop work might make people less willing to indulge in, or cause, strikes.

MAY CLOSE THE BAYLEN ST. JOINT

Local or Army authorities have failed so far to locate Gordon Eddings, the soldier who is said to have figured in an affair at the place located at the southeast corner of Baylen and Intendencia street Tuesday night. Guy McLaughlin and C. H. Sexton, who were taken in custody shortly after the affair made a \$1,000 bond each at the city jail. When called yesterday morning in the city court the cases were continued.

About four days ago Eddings was released at Fort Benicia where he served a sentence for desertion. It was the second time that he left without leave of absence.

County Solicitor William Fisher is working on the case with the view of prosecuting all parties concerned, and closing the place.

J. R. Jones, R. E. Goss, Dan Hale, and Dave Deloney were the names listed as witnesses.

AGED RESIDENT WAS BURIED YESTERDAY

Funeral services of R. E. Nobles, 75, who died at ten o'clock Tuesday night were held from the residence, 1802 North 3rd avenue, yesterday afternoon at 3, Rev. W. P. Hurt officiating. Interment was in the old Roberts cemetery.

Hundreds of friends of the well-known man and of the bereaved family visited the home and attended the services.

RUSS RAISE DUTY

MOSCOW, June 10 (By Mail)—Plans are announced for admitting into Russia, duty free, packages from abroad for individuals and which contain only food or clothing intended exclusively for personal use. These parcels must not exceed 21 pounds in weight.

By the Soviet customs regulations each person is entitled to receive from foreign countries by post under this ruling not more than three packages each month. The contents of the parcels will be subject to duty if the food and personal effects are sent in the same bundle.

REMAINS AT FURMAN
GREENVILLE, S. C., July 5.—Dr. W. J. McElhiney, president of the Furman University, who has been considering the purchase of some property of William Jewell College, Liberty, Missouri, announced this afternoon that he had decided to decline the offer and remain president of Furman.

Freight Is Wrecked
LYNCHBURG, Va., July 5.—Twelve freight cars on a northbound Southern railway train were wrecked near Durham station on the outskirts of this city this afternoon, when a southbound passenger train sideswiped the freight. No one was hurt.

COLLECTS PER CENT
ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 5.—Federal court clerks for the fourth circuit, comprising the states of North and South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland, will be required to collect a commission of one percent on all fines, under a ruling of the United States circuit court of appeals handed down today by Judge Charles A. Woods, circuit judge, as a majority opinion.

SAY STRIKERS RETURNING
RICHMOND, Va., July 5.—That strikers are returning to some of the shops in Richmond was the report from two of the roads tonight. It was said at the office of the general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio, that some of the shopmen who quit last Saturday morning had applied for jobs and had been taken back. Others are expected to return tomorrow, it was stated.

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Romantic Scenes In Theodora

Fourteen hundred years ago, Byzantium, or Constantinople, as it was then called, was the capital city of the civilized world. It is against this colorful background that the story of "Theodora" is laid, to be shown at the Isis theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

From humble beginnings—the daughter of a lion tamer at the Circus Maximus—she was sent on the stage while still a child, to earn her living, and despite Byzantium crowds with the spirit and impudence of her acting in the rough forces of the time. Becoming a noted actress, she left Byzantium for Constantinople, in northern Africa, with the newly appointed governor of that province, but soon quarreled with him and returned to her former life of gaiety at the capital.

There she attracted the attention of the reigning Emperor's nephew, Justinian, who wished to marry her, but could not overcome the opposition of his aunt, the Empress Euphemia. When the latter died in 523, and Constantine's law against senators marrying women of the stage had been repealed, Justinian and Theodora were united, and shortly after, on the death of Justinian the First, they became Emperor and Empress of the Roman world.

Salt Water Is Reported In The Mexican Oil Field

NEW YORK, July 5.—Appearance of salt water in the Toteoco Cerro Azul Oil Fields of Mexico caused a sharp decline in the New York market for oil, and a fall in the prices of oil stocks of companies operating in that territory.

Mexican Petroleum, which has been one of the speculative favorites of the big board in recent weeks, as the hardest hit, closing at 166 for a net loss of 11 1/2 points. Class A and B stocks of the Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company, which owns more than 70 per cent of the stock of Mexican Petroleum, suffered losses of \$1 1/4 and 6 points respectively. Transactions in these three stocks made up more than 25 percent of the entire day's dealings on the stock exchange, which totalled approximately \$85,000 shares.

Mexican Seaboard Oil, a curb stock, opened at 47 1/2 and dropped to 36 3/8, a new low, closing at 36 1/2, a net loss of 11 points.

Executives of both the Pan-American and Mexican Seaboard Companies issued statements confirming the appearance of salt water, but set forth that it was not unusual and not unexpected.

Three Accidents In Week
MACON, Ga., July 5.—Theresa Ashton, 6 year old daughter of a striking machinist, has a fractured skull and is not expected to live as a result of being run down by an automobile tonight.

This makes three persons in hospitals, four others hurt and two dead from automobile accidents this week.

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About Folks We Know

Mrs. Frederick Smith and attractive daughter, Frances of Columbus, Ga., left yesterday for their home, after a very delightful visit in the city and also Goulding, where they were guests of Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Minor Holfield. Mrs. Smith and daughter were among the out-of-town guests who attended the wedding of Miss Blanche Bassett and Mr. Lionel Brooks which took place on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. E. J. LeBeau of St. Louis is the guest of his aunt, uncle and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and Miss Virginia LeBeau. Mr. LeBeau will remain only one week.

Mrs. F. C. Humphreys expects to leave tomorrow for Washington, D. C., where she will spend two months as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Cope. She will visit relatives in Baltimore and Philadelphia before returning to the city in September.

Mrs. D. C. Ashley, Miss Anna and Mr. Thomas Ashley of Valdosta, Ga., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lamar.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox McEntire have returned to the city after a pleasant visit to Mary Esther, as the guests of Mr. J. J. McIntyre.

Mrs. W. H. Morgan and two attractive children, Blanche and Wade, Jr., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Adair of Hot Springs, Arkansas, and Mrs. Herman White and her little son, J. George will leave today for a delightful two weeks' outing at Camp Walton, Fla. This congenial party will indulge in swimming, fishing, delicious picnic lunches and other pleasant features that go with an outing of this nature.

Mr. and Mrs. James Aiken accompanied by Mr. Floyd Durham, motored to Camp Walton, Fla., early Saturday morning and are enjoying a delightful outing and visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hallmark and family.

Mr. James T. Wilson motored to Camp Walton, where he spent the fourth with his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hallmark and family.

Mrs. A. J. Norby, who has been residing several months with her mother, William R. Johnson and family, left Saturday for home in Jersey City, N. J.

Dr. W. C. Ingram, wife and children and Mrs. Jno. Stamatis, who spent several days visiting Mrs. Ingram's mother, at Gainesville, Ga., have returned to their home on North 12th Avenue. They report a very pleasant trip, going by way of auto, but that the roads were not in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jameson and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cotterell of this city, motored by way of Molino to Milton and spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and daughters, Irene and Alta. Mrs. Collins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jameson. They report having enjoyed a delightful visit and pleasant round trip.

Mrs. C. W. Betts and daughter, Mary Frances, of Bainbridge, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. Betts' sister, Mrs. R. J. Beal and family on East Hill. They expect to remain another week.

Mrs. C. W. Gittens and daughter, Ottilie, Misses Myrtle Lee Norwood and Louise Gentry delightfully spent the fourth of July at Floridatone, after visiting Mrs. Harris in Pace, Fla. They motored thru the country and had a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Abercrombie have returned to their homes after a pleasant visit with the former's father and sisters, Mr. Ed. Abercrombie and Misses Clara and Lella Abercrombie, in Pensacola.—Jacksonville Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Tucker have returned to the city after a pleasant visit to Fairhope, where they visited the Tuckers at Seacrest. Mrs. Tucker made the trip over alone, but was joined by her husband early in the week.

Allan Monroe, of Monroe, Brice & Co., of Liverpool, England, who has been in Pensacola for several days in connection with business for the W. S. Keyser Export Company, left last night for New York, from which city he will sail for England. Mr. Monroe is the British representative for the Keyser Export Company.

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Mrs. A. F. Lowery and sister of Munson, Fla., were registered yesterday at the San Carlos.

Miss Anita Villar, the popular and efficient assistant city clerk, was back at her desk yesterday after an indisposition of several days.

Miss Mary Winston Jones, who has been the guest of her father, Mr. W. C. Jones and family, and her brother, Mr. E. C. Jones, and family, will leave today for Kansas City, where she will resume her duties with the Kansas City Trust Company with which she is connected. During her visit, Miss Jones enjoyed many courtesies.

The Journal's Advertising Rate is the same to all.

YOUNG GIRL Attacked Brutally

After retiring for the night with no person in the house but her mother, a young girl was brutally attacked by a gang of Mosquitoes of the Malaria variety and could not sleep.

Luckily her mother sprinkled a few drops of "Rest-Well" Mosquito Lotion upon the pillow and bedding and the young Miss slept peacefully all night long. Rest-Well is concentrated and is

Rheumatism at 60

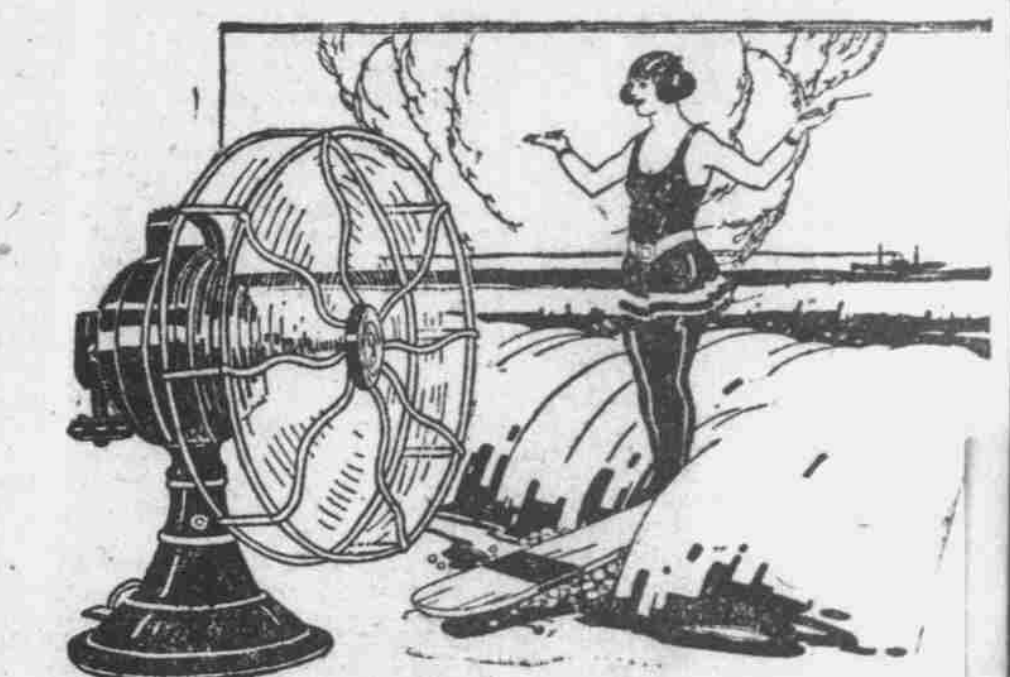


S. S. S. Thoroughly Rids the Body of Rheumatism Impurities.

Somebody's mother is suffering tonight! The course of rheumatism has wrecked her body; limping and suffering, bent forward, she sees but the common ground, but her aged heart still belongs to the stars! Does anybody care? S. S. S. is one of the greatest blood-purifiers known, and it helps build more blood cells. Its medicinal ingredients are purely vegetable. It never disarranges the stomach. It is in fact, a splendid tonic, a blood maker, a blood enricher. It banishes rheumatism from joints, muscles and the entire body. It builds firm flesh. It is what somebody's mother needs tonight! Mother, if you can not go out to get a bottle of S. S. S. yourself, surely somebody in your family will. Somebody, get a bottle of S. S. S. now! Let somebody's mother begin to feel joyful again tonight. Maybe, maybe it's your mother. S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores, in two sizes. The larger size is the more economical.

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